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In re Patent Application of

T. SEKI et al

Serial No. 09/756,922

Group Art Unit: 2881

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Examiner: B. Anderson

For: ION IMPLANTATION EQUIPMENT AND
IMPLANTATION METHOD THEREOF

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a one-month Extension of Time, to and including February 25, 2003, be granted in which to respond to the Office Action dated October 25, 2002 in the above-identified application.

Our check including the amount of \$110.00 is attached in payment of the appropriate fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional payment due, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1417.

Respectfully submitted,

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PATENT
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For: ION IMPLANTATION EQUIPMENT AND
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

No additional fee is required.

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42	\$ 0
140	\$ 0
Total	\$ 0

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A check in the amount of \$ 290.00 is attached in payment of:
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Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
 Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
 Any Extension of Time fees that are necessary, which are hereby requested if necessary.

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